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POPOCRACY'S LAST GASPS.

BRYAN AND ALIGELD FIGHT WILD-LY AGAINST THEIR DOOM.

Hanna Declares Again That Mckinley's 202 Electoral Votes Are Rock-ribbed and Sure The Popocrats Strike Out Blindly, Moving the People to Riot and Hatred,

CHICAGO, Oct. 26,-Evidences of the intense interest in the result of the Presidential campaign come to notice hourly. From all over the country telegrams began to pour in to-day on the Republican national campaigners at the Auditorium and the sound-money Democratic campaigners at the Palmer House, asking for bed-rock information as to the result of the fight. The telegrams came from all the cities of the East, West, South, and all were from business men. All pointed to the vast interests at stake in this election. All asked for assurances and reassurances, and all the senders got them straight from the shoulder.

Mr. Hanna telegraphed all day this concise but emphatic message:
"I stand by my declaration that McKinley

will have 302 votes in the Electoral College." To THE SUN correspondent Mr. Hanna said: "I may have still better information at the close of the week when the reports from all the State Chairmen will be in. But as the case stands to-day McKinley will have 302 electoral

Mr. Hanna made a similar declaration a week ago. He declares that the 302 McKinley votes

will be as follows:	
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Those who are on the ground watching intently the closing days of the Presidential battle are not fretting for an instant about the resuit. McKinley is the same as elected. It is now simply a question of majority.

The intensity of the interest shown by busivastness of the results. It was said by an eminent authority this afternoon that in most previous political campaigns it mattered comparatively little who was to occupy the White e for four years. While the Presidential candidates for the last twenty-five years, it was added, represented widely divergent views on questions and administrative methods and personified sentiments on which men honestly differed without shock to the public welfare, it had become a truism that whatever party won, "the country was safe,"

The different conditions in this campaign are illustrated by the storm of inquiries now sweep-ing in on the National Committee. The explanation of this is declared that for the first time a political organization asks popular support on a platform declaring for repudiation of honest debts, proposing a debased coinage, and breathing the spirit of riot and revolution. For the first time a Presidential candidacy is advocated with the bold admission that its success will strew the country with the wreckage of financial and industrial ruin.

While it is the general opinion here that honesty, respect for law and order, and patriotiem are not confined to any State or section, and that the rebuke to the revolutionists and repudiatore will be overwheiming, all the eminent organizers are eager that the anxiety, bred by suspense, shall do its work in stimulating every loyal citizen to new exertions. It has been the idea of Mr. Hanna's men all along that the greater the anxiety over the result, the greater would be the victory, and their opinions to this effect were reiterated to-day.

Bryan is to enter Chicago to-morrow afternoon. He is to speak three days and to close his campaign in Illinois in this city on Thursday night. The Republicans and sound-money Democrats are ready for bim. Illinois is lost to Hryan and Altgeld. Altgeld, after a talk with Popocratio Chairman Jones and Senatur Pitchself in the outside counties. What passed between Aligeid, Jones, and Tillman will be teld later, as it is necessary to tell right here that Bryan is to make twenty-four speeches in his three days' tour of the city and the Republicans and the sound-money Democrats are to have 400 speakers all pegging away during the same

Bryan and Altgeld are done for in this State. Altgeld knows it. Bryan in his fatuous egotism does not. He has dropped the silver issue out of most of his speeches and appeals only to class hatred. Those who are supposed to be his friends insist unreservedly that Bryan has burt himself by his new tack. Bryan and his followers have been reduced to this argumentegg throwing and personal abuse. The state ment is made here that egg throwing is on a line of argument in which the sound-money advocates will not attempt to cope with the Popucrats.

Bryan's appearance in different parts of the State has been followed by small riots in which his followers have used eggs and brickbats This was the case at Paris, in Edgar County. and it has been so elsewhere. In a word, even his friends declare that his \*scorching trip since he left New York the last time has been as much of a failure as was his flasco in Madison Equare Garden on his first plunge " into the en-

emy's country.' It is now in order to tell what Jones, Altgeld, and Tillman talked about this afternoon. It is their opinion that Jones's Ku-Klux circular to workingmen should be followed up here in Chicago by the trades unions, and that they should appoint committees to call on Chairman Hanna and ask him "to give a guarantee that wages will not be reduced under McKinley."

In the first place this looks like an admission that McKiniey is already elected unless some-thing desperate be done. It is the last desperate device of desperate men to bring about a change of sentiment among the workingmen. It will fail. It is not known yet whether the trades union men will listen to the suggestions f these three arch-conspirators, but if they do, Mr. Hanna said this evening, he would be giad to receive and talk with any committee the trades union people might select for the com-

Tillman has been in Oregon making speeches That State is to give its electoral vote to Mc-'Ine l'onocrats admit this to be true "The majority against us will only

It is said of Tillman that a moonshiner is a Christian gentleman compared with him. He has mighty peculiar ways in the presence of others. Only a short time ago he was in the dining room of one of Chicago's biggest hotels. In passing out he stopped a second to speak to well-known woman of the Washington circle. He started toward the door, but when about forty feet away awang about and roared;

"Mind you, Mrs. - . You know what I said. It is free sliver or bust." A thousand eyes were directed toward the Her face became as red as a peony. But that's Tillman in the presence of respectable

The Republican national campaigners have turned their eyes on Missouri with keener interest. So have the sound-money Democrats. A thorough canvass of the sound-money Democratic strength in Missouri has just been completed, based on a poli of each Congress district, with the total enrolment of names in soundmoney Democratic clubs. According to the canvass. Missouri contains 50,000 men who will vote for Palmer. Arrangements were made to-day to send five

special trains through the State. Beginning on Wednesday morning each train will be manned by twenty commercial travellers. To the end of each train will be coupled flat cars to be used as platforms for speakers. Tons of sound-money literature are to be distributed in all the busy spots of Missouri. It is to be a rousing climax of the Missouri campaign.

The lines are closing up in all the States. The sound-money campaigners are in quick co munication with every part of the country. All the speakers have received their final assignments. Senator Quay said a few days ago in New York to THE SUN correspondent; "We could not beat ourselves if we tried."

In all the States the Republicans have the solidest kind of organizations. The Popocrats are disorganized and cut to pieces by the desertions of the Democrats who believe in the old faith of the party.

The best criticism out this way of Bryan's spouting tours was made to-night, when a sound-money Democrat said:

"Mr. Bryan has ranged up and down the land, travelling distances never travelled before by any candidate for office, and spinning a web of words thin and delusive as gossamer thread across the face of the republic. For three months continuously, like a giant geyser, he has been spouting political steam and stones and hot water, but he has not advanced a single reason why the American people should leave the solid paths of honest money and plungs into the gulf of financial experiment and repudia-

"Never in the history of an American cam paign has one man worked so hard and effected so little good for himself. He began by carry ing the war of dishonor into what he called the enemy's country, and to-day he finds himself working his way homeward across a country hostile to every tenet of himself and his party.

#### NO MORE FUSION.

All Negotiations Between the Populist and Popocrats Are Declared Off. CHICAGO, Oct. 26,-All negotiations which

were being conducted by Western Chairman Washburn of the Populist National Committee, representing candidate Watson, and Chairman Jones of the Democratic National Committee for the purpose of solidifying the Middle-of-the-Road Populist vote for Bryan were officially declared at an end to-day by Mr. Washburn in ness men in the result measures accurately the | an interview with a reporter for the United Associated Presses. Democratic State Committees, particularly the Silver Democracy of Georgia and Tennessee, are blamed for the fallure of the negotiations. Mr. Watson will spend the remainder of the campaign practically in silent disgust, and his interesting letter of acceptance will likewise not appear in public to hurt the candidacy of Mr. Bryan. Mr. Washburn said.

"The negotiations which were pending be tween Senator Jones and myself are all off now, The responsibility for all this must rest equarely upon the Georgia and Tennessee Democracy They seemed more anxious to beat the Populists than to elect Bryan, and whatever the results, the odium of their unpatriotic action must rest upon them. There will be no further negotiations, and whether our people and candidates have been recognized to the right extent or not. our committee desires that every Populist shail prove his patriotism in helping at the polls to elect Bryan, just as they did in nominating him at St. Louis. This is no time for the settlement of differences. Our duty is to secure the triumph of silver, and every Populist should do his share and settle party differences after

election. "Will Mr. Watson make a speaking trip to Kansas or North Carolina?" "I do not think he will. He has promised to

make a few speeches in his own district for Mr. West, our Congressional candidate, and I un-derstand that will close his campaign." "Having read Mr. Watson's letter of acceptance, do you think it ought to or will be nub-

"I do not see what good would be accomplished at this late day by its publication, as Mr. Watson has made plain the principal points of his letter in his public speeches. Therefore I do

not favor its publication." "Do the fusion arrangements being made between the Republicans and Populists of Georgia

meet with your approval? "All those arrangements are made over the joint protest of Mr. Watson, National Committeeman Reed, and myself."

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 26.-A meeting of Middle of the Road Populists was held here this evening. It was well attended. Resolutions were adopted denouncing fusion as another form of coercion, declaring that Weaver, Taubeneck and Butler were traitors who had sold out their party, calling for paper money and Government ownership of railroads and the support of Tom Watson.

#### MARYLAND SOLID FOR M'KINLEY. A Poll of Baltimore Shows 18,000 Plu rality There for Sound Money.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 26.—Chairman Wellington of he Republican Committee has completed a poll of Baltimore city, and to-day announces that it vill go for McKinley by a plurality of 18,000.

"This is the result after a most careful and pain taking investigation into the accuracy of the work done by those who made the poll. We have not counted in favor of our ticket one doubtful vote, but have given the Bryan ticket the benefit of every doubtful case, and the net result is 18,000 plurality.

"This is really a low estimate, for since the poll has been completed our work has been gong on with greater vigor than ever, and the indications now are that we shall have a land slide of votes next week in our favor. The re ports that we are receiving from the counties how, from day to day, increased gains for our ticket, and we shall carry the State for McKin

ley outside of Baltimore city. " More than that, I have been making a ver careful investigation of the situation in the six Congress districts, and am prepared to say that we shall certainly elect five out of the six Congressmen, with an even chance of electing the other one. We shall certainly elect Baker in the Second district, Booze in the Third, Mc Intyre in the Fourth, Mudd in the Fifth, and McDonald in the sixth. In the First distric we have an even chance to elect Dr. Barber and if reports that have come in from tha section during the last few days are one-half true, Mr. Miles will be defeated and Maryland will send a sound-money delegation to the Hous of Representatives."

# FOR THE GENERAL FLAG DAY. Chairman Hanna Mends Out Instructions t

All State Chairmen. CHICAGO, Oct. 26 .- Chairman Hanna of th Republican National Committee to-day directed the following telegram to Chairmen of the Republican State Central Committees throughout the country:

"You will please direct county Chairmen is

your State to make a special effort for the cele bration of flag day, Saturday, Oct. 31, by calling upon all Republicans to assemble in the ties, villages, and hamlets nearest their homes and show their patriotism, devotion to country and the flag, and their intention to support the party which stands for protection, sound money and good government, by having patriotic speeches and such other exercises as will be ap propriate for the occasion, and tend to make the day a general holiday as far as possible. It is to be hoped that Republicans everywhere will

In tion of \$3.50, volers will receive \$1,000 from the Equitable or Nederland Life at death; age \$0, quarter; premium \$4.50, accd \$0. \$5.50.40.

H. Howland, 256 Broadway, New York.—Adv.

unite to decicate the day to this patriotic ser

NEBRASKA IS ALL RIGHT.

SHE LIKES BRYAN LESS SINCE SHE HAS SIZED HIM UP.

The Boom He Enjoyed for a Brief Senson Has Petered Out-Manderson Felt Shaky but He New Says Sound Money Is Sure to Carry the State-Cocreton Talk.

OMAHA, Oct. 26.-Nebraska was completely overwhelmed by the free-silver wave that swept over the Western States immediately after the nomination of Mr. Brean. The citizens were so flushed with local pride at the distinction conferred upon one of their citizens that the result of the November election in this State was quite generally admitted to be a foregone conclusion. The dramatic manner of the Boy Orator's nomination, his popularity with the Populistic element that has for several years past dominated the politics of the State, and the prospect of the fusion of all elements opposed to Republicanism, combined to fill the souls of the Bryanites with hope and courage. They even went so far as to declare that a formal campaign would not be necessary, as the sentiment f the voters was so overpoweringly in favor of the nominee and the platform of the Chicago Convention that the cry of Bryan and free silver shouted across the prairies would be sufficient in itself to pile up the greatest vote against the "gold bugs" of the East ever known in the history of Nebraska.

For a while this delirium of loy continued un bated. The Republican party of the State was whirled into the general intoxication They remembered how they were blown aside n the Congress elections of 1890 by an adverse majority of more than 73,000 after having given Harrison, two years before, a majority of 228,000. They believed that a second avalanche had struck them just as they were beginning to emerge from the first, and such political leaders as ex-Senator Manderson of the Republicans and J. Sterling Morton of the sound-money Democrats freely admitted that Nebraska was very doubtful." By this they probably meant hat it had been whirled into the Bryan column.

But all hands recovered from the hypnotic influence of the free-silver craze after awhile. As they began to look about them they discovered a light in the East. Taking up the cue extended by the prompt repudiation of the Chicago platform and nominee by the Eastern newspaper press the sound-money men in Nebraska set to work upon a campaign of education.

The result is that a decided change has con over the spirit of the dream of the Nebraska Bryanites, and to-day it is impossible to find a man in Omaha ready to offer odds that the Boy Orator will carry the State. Bets are being made freely enough, but for small amounts, and no odds are offered or given. Three to one is freely offered here on Mc-Kinley's election, but the Bryanites insist upon four and five to one, the prevailing quotations in the East, and they are not at all eager to risk their money even then. Perhaps be-cause of State pride there is more talk here about Bryan and more noticeable evidence that he is a candidate than in other Western cities, where the issue and not the candidate is the popular subject of discussion. There are more pictures of Bryan in the shop windows and more Popocrat banners across the streets than elsewhere. But for all that the conditions, as far as the sentiment of business men and intelligent, reputable citizens of all classes is concerned, are the same here as in every other own in the West. McKinley and sound money are advocated by everybody with whom visitor to the city comes in contact. In other words, the tangible getatable vote is for sound

The Bryanites assert that somewhere there are countless thousands of farmers and labor ers, "toiling masses of humanity" whose souls are being crushed out by "plutocrats" and monopolists," who are standing, ballot in and, ready to vote for the party new being led by Bryan, Altgeld, and Debs. Those who control affairs in this State, the statesmen of all parties, the politicians, the railroad managers, the business men, and the influential well-to-do farmers themselves, declare that this imaginary state of things, conjured up by the ager-eved Bryanites, exists only in th nowhere, and they are probably right.

The following figures show how the combined Populist and fusion vote in Nebraska bas dwindied since the Republican party was over whelmed by it in the Congress elections of 1890

Rep.	Pop.	Dem.	Joint Phirity.
Governor, 1890 68,178	70,187	71,831	73,440
President, 189287,213	82,256	24,043	19,956
Governor, 1892 78,426	08,617	44,195	34,386
Bupreme Court Justice,			10000000
1893 72,639		37,545	30,579
Governor, 189494,613	97.515	6,055	10,187

79.156 70,566 18,636 10,04 1595... This table shows a loss of more than 52,000 fusion votes in five years, during which the Republican party gained more than 10,000 votes. The loss came chiefly from the Democrats, who in the election for Governor in 1894 cast only 6,985 votes. That year the Populists and Re-

publicans both reached their high-water mark. This year the Falmer and Buckner vote will mount to little or nothing, and the Republicans are confident that the fusionists cannot ell at best more than they did in that year. If they are justified in their belief the State will give a reliable majority for McKinley and Hobart.

Countiess explanations can be given for the growth and triumph of Populism in Nebraska, but there are only two causes of importance for the reaction that has taken place, and which will certainly restore the State to the political party that always controlled it until 1890. One is the campaign of education and the financial question, the other the belief, slowly but firmly planted in the minds of the Nebraska farmers and laboring men, that William J. Bryan is an arrant humbug, whose campaign speeches ar merely the windy appeals of a demagogue seeking for votes, and that the the controlled the work of the Chicago Convention are dangerous repudiationists and revolutionists and their teaching a menace to the honor and stability of the American Gor ernment and the maintenance of commercial prosperity. In the language of the street, the people of Nebraska have "caught on " to Bryan, and they don't like him as much as they did. Here in Omaha, where State pride made him a hero for a few weeks after the Chicago Convention, be is now no more a favorite than if he hailed from Kansas City or St. Louis, and the comedians in the theatres, always so quick to grasp at a local topic for the purpose of making a popular hit, are afraid to try the Br; an "gag any more for fear of being compelled to play with a net. Two months ago all was different. and the roof-garden singers who failed to give a topical song with the Hoy candidate as the here and McKinley as the villian quickly found that a mistake had been made which the audience

could not be compensated for. The city of Omaha had a population of 140,000 when the last census was taken, and, if the town has not grown during the subsequent years of Populism and hard times, it has at least held its own; at least its admirers hope so. With this population as a basis, and calculating also by the registration up to date, which is large here, as elsewhere, it is estimated that 20,000 votes will be cast on Nov. 3. The normal vote of the city is about equally divided, or has been of late years, between the Republicans and the so-called "Democracy." This year, owing to the great preponderance of anti-Bryan sentiment among the business men and their em ployees, those in charge of the lively campaign in the city have every reason to believe that the combined sound-money vote will be in excess of that cast by the free-silver fusionists.

The headquarters of the Republican and

Sound-Money Democratic Committees are at Lincoln, the capital of the State and the home of Bryan, but branches are in operation in this city, where daily reports are received. From their contents, the Republicans feel entirely warranted in publishing the claim that the anti-Bryan vote outside the city of Omaha will

be a substantial one. Gen. Manderson, who was in the city for s few hours to-day, in the interval of a stumping tour, says that the State is fairly on fire with patriotism and enthusiasm and that if the Bryanites are to win they are most successfully concealing the men who are to do the voting for them. Senator Manderson has been campaigning for many years in Nebraska, and he says he never saw such interest displayed in the political issues, such anxiety over the result, and such enormous crowds at the meetings in the

country towns. The Senator spoke on Saturday at a little village at which he arrived only an hour or so before the meeting time. The speaking was to take place in a hall, but early in the day those in charge saw by the crowd coming in from the country that this would not do, and a large circus tent was raised on a vacant lot. It was promptly filled, and it then became necessary to raise the sides, so that Senator Manderson addressed practically an open-air meeting. He says there must have been 3,000 people where a few hundred were expected. It was a friendly audience too, and the Senator added that this te but an illustration of the patriotic interest in the campaign all over the State.

Two months or so ago Gen. Manderson told Chairman Hanna in New York that Nebraska was exceedingly doubtful, and intimated that the Bryanites would carry it. If called upon today for a report he would say to Mr. Hanna without hesitation, as he does say to all who ask for his opinion, that McKinley and Hobart will carry the State.

"Coercion" is still the bugaboo and bogey man of the Bryan managers in Nebraska, as it is in other cities where corporations employ a large number of men. This is a great railroad centre, whose systems spread through many States from the Missouri River east, west, north, and south.

This makes it a fine field for the "coercion" agitators to work in, and they are running the campaign on this line with a rush during these last days of grace. The men who are being coerced are again the intangible, uncertain quantities who cannot be found, and those who coerce" them are the managers in this city of the great railway lines. The editor of the only daily newspaper in this section of the country with a circulation large enough to entitle it to be called important, and which is supporting Bryan and Altgeld, and of which the candidate himself was until recently the editor, is apparently the leader of the "coerclon" scheme, and at present he is being willingly assisted by Judge Caldwell of the United States Court. The editor of the newspaper referred to recently addressed a letter to Judge Caldwell, presumably by prearrangement, asking him a question which if put to any high-minded presiding Judge in the United States would be immediately regarded as an insult. The question was this:

"Will it be necessary for employees of corporations under Federal Court receiverships to vote for McKinley in order to hold their places?" Instead of treating this question with the con tempt it deserved, or at least being content with a formal acknowledgment and mere formal reply, Judge Caldwell played his part by forwarding to the newspaper for publication a stump speech, grandiloquently assuring the public that he would promptly discharge any officials of a road of which he happened to be the receiver if guilty of coercing the employees, the intimation

being that the charge of coercion in the interest of the sound-money candidate is true, Judge Caldwell's letter has aroused the greatest indignation, not only because of the evident desire to give legal sanction to the unwarranted charges of the Bryan managers, but also because he has atlowed the United States Court to be dragged into the political contest and made an issue in the fight in this State, just as Bryan, Altgeid, Debs, and their associates have made the Supreme Court of the United States an issue in the campaign, utterly without justification or any sense of the fitness of things.

Judge Caldwell's action in becoming the tool of the desperate men who are attemption stampede the railroad employees into the support of Bryan, by insisting that their employers are undertaking to force them to vote the other way, has aroused such indignation throughout the State that it promises to be a boomerang like other similar Bryan campaign dodges

THE SUN reporter to-day asked the head of the legal department of one of the greatest railroad systems in the West for the truth as to the charge of "coercion."

"I will tell you all about it," he promptly re plied. "When we recovered from the Bryan free silver craze that engulfed the State imme liately after the Chicago Convention we real ized the danger that confronted the business interests of the country and the railroad busi ness in particular if a party pledged to the free coinage of silver and the destruction of the power of the Federal Government should be victorious. We realized the magnitude and serioueness of the work before us, but we went

at it with a will. "Our only means of counteracting the perniclous sentiment that had taken hold of the people was by the spreading of information amon them. We secured vast quantities of good political and economic literature and mailed it in the form of pamphlets through the regular Post Office channels to our employees. office alone 75,000 pamphiets went out. We have reason to know that they were read and thought about. That's all there is in the 'coercion'story. The campaign of education has done its work. We feel confident that a large majority of our employees have joined the sound-money cause, and that for this and various other reasons it will be victorious at the polls on Nov. 3."

# NORTH CAROLINA'S VOTE.

Butler's Newspaper Predicts the Defeat of the State Bemocratic Ticket.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 26.-Senator Butler's newspaper will publish to-morrow an estimate of the vote in North Carolina. It will say: "There are 233,000 white voters in the State of which 60.000 are Republican and 68,000 Populists, but to be on the safe side we will say 50,000 each. This leaves 123,000 as the max imum number of votes the Democrats can nol for their State ticket. The Republicans and Populists on their cooperation ticket will have 109,000 colored voters who will vote it quite solidiv, and to these must be added 60,000 white Republicans and 50,000 Populists, and the total is 219,000, a difference of 90,000 in favor of cooperationists. These figures, in our opinion, show that the cooperation State and Congressional ticket will win by one of the biggest majorities ever known in North Car-

### AN ALABAMA ELECTOR DEAD. He Was a Popocrat, and His Death I. Likely to Cost Brynn a Vote

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Oct. 26. - Bryan is almos sure to lose one of Alabama's electors, M. D. Seibert, Popocrat, from the Secenth district, died suddenly on Sunday. The tickets have been printed in all the counties and cannot be reprinted. Popocratic managers have sent instructions out to voters to scratch Seibert and substitute C. C. Appleton.

A third of the voters cannot read, and have A third of the voters cannot read, and have been instructed to choose their nominees numerically, as the names appear on the ticket. These illustrates naturally will your for scinert: so will make others who will not learn of his death. Another complication is that J. B. Appleton is a Populist elector from the Seventh district. Popocrats here confess the chances are that belief's death will cost Bryan an allowed your. ALTGELD'S OWN RIOTERS. mentan Patriarch,

THEY ASSAIL A M'KINLEY CLUB AND PASSERS-BY WITH EGGS.

A Woman and a Dozen or More Men Struck and Spattered with Them-The Police Called Out to Scatter the Mob-More Popocratic Egg Throwers Making Ready. CHICAGO, Oct. 26,-Chicago Popocrats have

adopted Kentucky tactics in the campaign, and | fact that one of the prisoners was an Armenian are using overripe eggs as missiles. When the first attack was made last night during a meetof Eighteenth ward Republicans at their headquarters in West Madison street a riot call was at once sent to the Desplaines street police station. Passers by were bespattered with the missiles used by the mob, and the thorough fare bore evidences of the trouble long after the crowd dispersed. The police, fifteen strong, charged the disturbers three times before order was restored.

Before starting for the Union station to see Eugene V. Debs, 100 members of the Eighteenth Ward Altgeld Club got a bundle of Bryan posters from the club headquarters in the Haymarket building in West Madison street, and attempted to paste them on the outside of the windows of the nearby Eighteenth Ward Republican Cinb headquarters to obscure the pictures of Mckinley, Hobart, and Tannot, and various campaign emblems issued by the Republican National Committee, Being successfully resisted by a small but determined band of Republicans, the Debsites collected across the street from the Republican Club headquarters and pelted the pictures and their defenders with the bad eggs. They seemed to have a whole basketful of the unsavory misalles, and did not desist until their supply was exhausted.

When the police arrived a mob of 400 or 500 men and boys blockaded the walks and obstructed street car traffic. A well-dressed woman fared padly. One of the eggs struck her full in the face and spattered over her clothes She was almost blinded and burst into tears when she realized what had happened. Fully a dozen men were struck in the faces of

about the body. As soon as it was known generally that eggs were being thrown the Republicans deserted the scene. They said their opponents had at last advanced arguments the Republicans could not cope with.

Some of the sufferers did not know they had been struck until they brushed their backs against their neighbors in saloons where they had taken refuge or in the street cars. For hours afterward the street showed signs of the bombardment. After the row the police breated a sigh of

relief and went two or three blocks for fresh air. It is said that the machine Popocrats are organizing egg gangs in all parts of the city and are prepared to disturb Republican meetings.

CARLISLE'S BIG TRIUMPH. Hundreds Who Had Taken to the Woods

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 26.-The campaign is closing in Kentucky with a splendid outburst of enthusiasm for McKinley. The Republican managers have quietly told their friends here that they had no doubts before as to carrying the State, but that Mr. Carlisie's coming has made victory doubly certain. This was indicated plainly by the Secretary's reception at Owens-boro to-day.

Owensboro is the centre of Populism, but by far the largest audience that has yet assembled to greet Mr. Carlisle came there to-day.

He spoke in a huge wooden building erected

for a Sam Jones's revival, with a scating capacity of 0,000, and every foot of it was filled. Delegations came from all the neighboring counties and from Indiana, nearly everybody wearing a yellow badge. Hundreds of men who have kept their intentions secret came out and openly declared themselves for McKinley.

Mr. Carlisle has informed his friends privately that he has no doubt of Bryan's defeat. He is also sanguine that Kentucky will go for honest money.

Covington Ky. Oct. 28.-Eight hundred the best citizens of Covington crowded into Odd Fellows' Hall to-night to protest against the egg throwing when Secretary John G. Carlisle was here on last Thursday evening, and against the subsequent demonstrations of the mob. Harvey Meyers, ex-Speaker of the Kentucky House of Representatives, and a free-silver man, was chosen Chairman. He made a warn speech, in which he characterized the treatment of Secretary Carlisle as an unmitigated

outrage. "God forbid," he said, "that the day shal ever come when a law-abiding citizen shall not e permitted to come to Covington without mo lestation."

Tremendous cheers followed the speech o

Meyers, who is a Bryan elector. Attorney C. B. Simroli, a gold Democrat, mad a speech denouncing the affair, and when he exclaimed, " Four days have elapsed since the outrage was committed and yet not a man who threw an egg has been arrested," the crowd shook the big building with cheers. Mayor Rhinoek, Chief of Police Pugh, and

fifteen policemen were present, and all were roundly scored by each speaker. Mayor Rhinock made a speech defending the police. He said they had desisted from clearing the hall because The Mayor promised to use every effort to ar

prehend the culprits and send them to the work house. His speech was received coldly. At torney C. B. Simroll offered a resolution de nouncing the affair as an outrage and demanding the prompt arrest and conviction of the cul-Attorney Dara Hallem offered as a substitute

resolution condemning the offenders and also condemning the students of Yale College who beered Bryan. This was unanimously defeated The Simroil resolution was adopted without s dissenting vote.

John Fagin, who threw a cigar in Secretars
Carlisle's face on Thursday night, was arrested
fast night, and was released on a bond signed
by Anthony Monkedieck, a sliver man.

CHICAGO THE BATTLE GROUND. Altgeld and Bryan to Lend the Silver Forces in the Attack on Cook County,

Chicago, Oct. 26.-The general attack of the silver forces on Cook county began to-day with meetings all over the city. Gov. Altgeld was the chief speaker of prominence, but there were many from outside Chicago and Illinois. Ministers joined in the appeal to vote for free sliver and the champion of the cause, Mr. Bryan, will strive to-morrow afternoon to make many big and little speeches in every ward of the city Under the direction of the Democratic State Committee every county of Illinois has furrished at least one speaker ontside Cook county

to foin in the attack on the gold standard.

Among the Eastern orators who arrived to day to lend their aid were Timothy W. Coakles of Boston, who nominated George Fred Wil-liams for tinvernor, and Thomas Riley, a crimi-nal lawyer of note from the same city. This bombardment will last all week. I was said to-day by those in charge of the noon-day busi-ness men's meeting, which Mr. Bryan will ad-dress at Fattery D armory on Wedn esday, tha there were \$0,000 applicants for tickets.

No Peace in the Massachusetts Bemocracy Bosros, Oct. 26 .- For what is apparently the get time in this campaign, all negotiations for peace between the warring factions of the State bemocracy were to-day declared off. The result of to-day's meeting leaves the situation just of to-day's meeting leaves the situation just where it was before Judge Corcoran sent in his resignation last week, for that resignation is now withdrawn. Judge Corcoran is still to continue as Chairman of the State Committee, and there will be no official ratification of George Fred Williams and the other Demogratic candidates.

MORE EXCITEMENT IN TURKEY. Attempt to Assassinate the Acting Ar

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 26. While Mgr. Bartolomoos, who on Aug. 9 last was selected as cum temus of the Armenian Patriarch, Matthew Izmirdian, was oriving through the streets of the city to-day he was attacked by four men, who attempted to murder him. The escort accompanying Mgr. Bartolomeo-

seized the would-be assassins and turned then over to the police. An examination elicited the Mgr. Bartolomeos has excited the hostility of

the Armenians by his subservience to the Sultan, and the attempt to murder him is un doubtedly due to this feeling. He is highly esteemed by the Turks for his Mohammedan sympathies.

# LI HUNG CHANG AT HOME.

It Is Said He Has Been Appointed Chinese Minister of Foreign Affairs.

LONDON, Oct. 26. Telegrams received here from Pekin announce the appointment of Li Hung Chang as Chinese Minister of Foreign Affairs. The announcement is somewhat surprising, and has caused a great deal of comment here. The St. James's Gazette says that Li Hung Chang, upon leaving Southampton at the termination of his recent visit to England, told the reporters that his ability to carry out the re-forms which he desired to have established in China depended upon his return to power after he got home. The success of his mission to Europe is consequently gauged by his appointmen to the Foreign Ministry.

PEKIN, Oct. 26,-Li Hung Chang has been reprimanded for having entered the Summer Palace for the purpose of paying a visit to the Dowager Empress without observing the fornalities usual upon such an occasion

Elevators.

## GREAT LOSS OF WHEAT. 1,000,000 Bushels Burned in Two Chicago

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.-In less than an hour a toon to-day fire destroyed \$1,200,000 worth of property on the north branch of the Chicago River, in a dilapidated neighborhood known as Goose Island. The Pacific Grain Elevators A and B, owned by the Chicago and Pacific Elevator Company, were completely destroyed, and several frame dwellings adjoining them were swept away. There were more than 1,000,000 bushels of wheat stored in the two great elevators. The loss on wheat is estimated at \$861,000, on corn at \$34. 800, and there was a small less on oats. The loss on buildings and machinery is estimated a nearly \$300,000. Insurance fully covers the osses.

Superintendent Perry said the fire started in clevator B in the south part, and he believes it was caused by sparks from a passing tug in the

When the first of the twenty-five engine companies arrived on the scene water was turned at once on the boiler room, where the fire was reported to have started, but in a few

mre was reported to have started, but in a few minutes the firemen, were forced by steam and heat to beat a hasty retreat, leaving behind them part of their hose equipment.

Five firemen of another company who were fighting the fire from the root of the elevator office, a one-story brick building, had a narrow escape from death. The roof they were on collapsed, and they fell part way with it. The firemen, selzed the hose and the walls projecting a little above the collapsed roof and hung over the flery furnace until rescued by their comrades.

SAID HE WAS LOCKED IN WASN'T. Mr. Bowman's Ruse to Avoid Arrest as a Suspicious Person Falls,

About six months ago one of the employees of the Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, which has an office on the top floor at 51 Leonard street, stayed unusually late at his work. and, as he came out of the building, he was arrested by the policeman on post as a suspicious

person. J. Howman, Jr., manager for the company, Leonard street station, decided to notify the police of the situation so they would not arrest him. He had a key to the front door, and

might have gone away without molestation. In order to get a policeman he invented a story that he had been locked in, and telephoned it to Police Headquarters. A policeman from the Leonard street station went to the building and found Bowman looking out of a top story window. Bowman came down and surprised the bluecoat by unlocking the door and walking

Out.
This seemed to be more suspicious to the policeman than the conduct of the workman who
had been arrested six months before, and he
asked Mr. Bowman to accommany him to the
station. Mr. Bowman explained things to the
Sergeant at the desk, who, after taking the Sergeant at the desk, who, after taking the young man's pedigree, allowed him to go.

A Chance for Many Hundreds of Young Women to Find Good Husbands

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26. The mining camp of Trail Creek and Boundary Creek, British Columbia, where there are ten men to one woman, want wives. Steady work with good pay with the fact that British Columbia laws frown severely on gambling and drinking, have made the miners prosperous.

The question of getting wives was raised recently as a joke, but the outcome has been to thoroughly advertise the fact that a large num ber of marriageable girls can find good husbands by emigrating to the mining districts of British Columbia.

J. G. Devlin, a prominent miner, who went recently to Toronto and Montreal to sell mining property, discussed the matter and got the newspapers to discussing it. He told the Canadians that if they would send 1,500 nice girls out to Rossland alone every one would get a good husband. Reports show that already the girls are taking up the matter seriously. The miners are willing, and the first lot of would be wives will be arranged for this spring.

# A NINE-YEAR-OLD CRIMINAL.

arl Werner's "Terrible Record"-The Boy Goes to the House of Reinge. You have committed five or six burgiaries. and I don't know where you will wind up. It is a terrible record for a boy of your age. All your crimes are committed in the night, and you buy whiskey and go home drunk, like a confirmed old toner. When your arents have locked you up to keep you out of mischief, you have kicked off the lock and made your escape, My boy, you have broken your father's heart. He has asked me for God's rake to send you He has asked me for God's rake to send you away. I cannot send you to the penitentiary or state prison, as you are too young. I will send you to the House of Brings.

These words were addressed to nine-year-old Carl Werner by Judge Aspinall in the County Court in Brooklyn yesterday, and brought teams to the eyes of the youthful criminal. Carl has the distinction of being the toughest boy in Brooklyn, and is credited with two highway robberies.

## AN ENGLISH ESTATE THAT PAID. The American Heirs of William Bindless Get #41.000 Cach,

New Losnos, Conn., Oct. 26. The American heirs of William Bindless of Kendall, England, to-day received their share of the estate. Palmer Bindless of this city had been in Eng rainer smalless of this city had been in England several months looking after the inheritance that belonged on this side of the Atlantic, and he brought the money bars with him. The hors met here to-day and \$41,000 each was given to Palmer fundless. Mrs. Leander Kuight, Mrs. Chilitand, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Conirs. Unit of Bindless, Mrs. Scroggie, and William limitees.

Latest Marine Intelligence. arrived-Steamship Patris, from Margeilles. FISHING FOR BRYAN MONEY.

ALL SORTS OF OFFERS MADE TO

PRICE TWO CENTS.

COAX IT OUT.

In New Orleans the Pool Rooms Offer 10 to 9 on Mckintey Carrying North Care. lina and 5 to 4 on Indiana and Kentucky

Offers on the Pinrality in This City. The last week of the campa go opened yesterday with the betting commissioners scurrying about trying to find Bryan men with money who would bet on almost any proposition the general result, the result in any State, pluralities in this city or the number of electoral votes which McKinley or Bryan will have. They were even willing to make wagers on fights in Congress

districts. Col. Swords, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Republican National Committee, who is used to betting thousands on the general result, was at the Fifth Avenue Hotel last night ready to bet \$200 to \$100 on the result in Illinois, but the Bryan man who had offered to take the short end of the proposition did not appear. The Colonel said that he will probably raise his offer of odds on the general result to 3 to 1 or 4 to 1 in a day or so.

Joseph H. Manley of the Republican National committee heard last night of a man who wanted to bet \$500 to \$1,000 against McKinley's carrying this city. He tried to get the bet, but the Bryan bluffer backed down.

There were two small bona fide bets made up town last evening. Billy Edwards bet \$25 to \$100 that McKinley will carry New York city by 75,000 plurality. Edward S. Stokes is stakeholder of a bet of \$500 even on a plurality for McKinley of 200,000 in this State.

Billy Edwards is commissioned to bet \$2,400 to \$4,000 that Hess will beat McClellan in the Twelfth Congress district; \$1,000 even that Bryan will have 150 electoral votes; \$600 against \$1,000 that McKinley will carry Kentucky, and \$250 to \$1,000 that McKinley's plurality in the city will be 50,000 or more.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 26.-The pool rooms here opened to-day for bets on the election. On the general result the bets offered were: Three to one on McKinley; 5 to 4 on McKinley's carrying any one of the following States: Indiana. Kentucky, California, Michigan, West Virginia, and Maryland; 10 to 7 on his carrying Illinois, 2 to 1 on his carrying Ohio, Wisconsin, and Minnesota, 10 to 0 on his carrying North Carolina. Betting has been very dull here and no bets of any size were reported.

TYNAN REACHES AMERICA.

Only Members of His Family Go to Meet the Alleged Dynamiter.

Patrick J. P. Tynan, the alleged "No. 1" of the Phoenix Park murders, who was recently under arrest in France, arrived here last evening on the Saale from Bremen, via Cherbourg. He expected to be warmly received on this side. but to his surprise there was nobody outside of his immediate family at the pier to meet him. His son J. Brandon Tynan, who is an actor, went down the bay on the revenue cutter to meet the ship. Tynan said that he hesitated to talk for publication even in this country, as any utterances he might make might compromise others,

ances he might make might compromise others, and perhaps those who had been kind to him, lie said that he was glad to get back to America.

"I was arrested at Boulogne-Sur-Mer." said he, "not by the French authorities, but by British detectives. They induced the French police to take me into custody on the charge that I was a criminal, but when the French police learned that I was a political prisoner I was treated with every consideration. They did not lock me up in a cell, but gave me a room and let me buy my meals. The English press was filled with slanders and lies about me. I did not go abroad in connection with any dynamite plot. My mission was greater than that, and I am pleased to say it was successful. I believe in dynamite, though, just as George Washington believed in gunpowder.

"The English authorities did everything they could to get me acroes the channel. In Paris I met Minister Euzits, who was very kind to me. The cause that I represent is that of the whole Irish race, and, while I cannot say anything about the nature of my mission at present, I can

about the nature of my mission at present, I can say that it was successful beyond my wildest

who lives at 144 Quincy street, Brooklyn, re-called the experience of his fellow workman just as he started to go home at 7:30 o'clock last night, and, not wishing to be haled to the ferry immediately and went to his home in Au

RETAIL GROCERS TALK BOYCOTT.

dubon Park.

Want Jobbers to Cease Supplying Department Stores-Jobbers Not Compliant. The Retail Grocers' Association will hold a convention in this city next Thursday. Resolutions will be offered advocating a general boycott on jobbing grocers who cater for department store trade. Some of the more conservative delegates have announced their intention of endeavoring to dissuade the radical element from going on record by ordering a boycott. They reason that the boycott would have little or no effect in practice as the department store concerns can purchase through their brokers direct from manufacturer and whole-

brokers direct from manufacturer and wholesaler, thus freezing out the jobber.

Some jobbers complain that the average
retailer does not practice what he praches,
inasmuch as he does not hesitate to buy direct
from the manufacturer whenever possible, and
in some instances forming combinations to
attain that end. But when the department
store places a big order for food supplies the
retail grocer objects to the dry goods man buying to greater advantage than he.

There is considerable talk among representative jobbers in the grocery trade, in the event of
a boycott being directed against their business
by the retailers at Thursday's Convention, of
bringing the matter to the attention of the
Grand Jury.

WHEAT GOES UP IN CHICAGO.

The Rise Was One Cent, Although There Was Little Bull News. CHICAGO, Oct. 26.-The net appreciation in

the price of wheat to-day was one cent, but the market was nervous and in a position to be worked. Business was on a much reduced scale, not only in wheat, but in the other grains and provisions. In a general way it was a bull mar-ket without bull news. As is usual on Monday

ket without bull news. As is usual on Monday the trade had important statistics, but they did not leave their mark.

There was a disposition to follow leaders of guess what the market might do next regardless of natural influences, and this developed a scalping trails. The December outlon in wheat opened at 60%c, and the highest price for the day was 71%c. The lowest figure was 60%c. Shortly before the closing hour news came of the burning of the Pacific elevators, and this caused the market to firm, the final price being 70%c.

It cannot be said that there was any excitenent during the day's business for the reason, perhaps, that there was nothing in the information received to warrant it. The foreign cable reports indicated a decline of one penny and this had its effect in the bear campaign, but altogether it was simply a scalping market.

CALIFORNIA'S UNIVERSITY.

The Sum of \$4,000,000 Promised to It by Public-spirited Citizens.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26. - The plan for a State university, housed in the handsomest group of educational edifices in the world, is now near realization. The announcement was made at a Board of Regents meeting that \$4,000,000 had been promised by private citizens as soon as the

Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst is the principal donor to the fund. She offers to denate cash to obto the fund. She offers to donate cash to obtain plans by international commetition, and to pay Frof. B. R. Maybeck, who will explain the project to Fastern and European architects, having been released from his duties for a year. Mrs. Hearst, in her letter, said it was her doars to do something as a memorial to Secator Hearst's love of the State. It is understood that she will cause to be erected two buildings as part of any plan accented. One will be a direct memorial to the dead Senator. In addition, the conteges to be housed in these buildings will be literally endowed. Other public-spirited citizens are ready to advance other millions for the buildings.

bulldings. Montreal Train, via Adirondack Mountains, leaves Orand Central Station daily at 6,00 P. M. Ges dianes on the Dining Car.—Ass.